

1 TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

2 The Committee on Corrections and Institutions to which was referred Senate  
3 Bill No. 291 entitled “An act relating to the establishment of transition units at  
4 State correctional facilities” respectfully reports that it has considered the same  
5 and recommends that the House propose to the Senate that the bill be amended  
6 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the  
7 following:

8 Sec. 1. TRANSITION UNITS AT STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES;

9 PROPOSAL

10 (a) The Commissioner of Corrections shall examine and develop a proposal  
11 for the establishment of transition units at State correctional facilities to enable  
12 offenders granted furloughs pursuant to 28 V.S.A. § 808c to work in the  
13 community while residing in State correctional facilities. The proposal shall  
14 include an evaluation of costs associated with establishing transition units,  
15 potential site locations, programming and services available to offenders, and  
16 eligibility guidelines for offenders to reside in the transition units.

17 (b) On or before January 15, 2015, the Commissioner of Corrections shall  
18 submit the proposal described in subsection (a) of this section to the House  
19 Committee on Corrections and Institutions and the Senate Committee on  
20 Institutions.

1       Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

2           This act shall take effect on July 1, 2014.

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FOR THE COMMITTEE